removed while maintaining the RF shielding of any transceivers which are not removed.

26. A method according to claim 25, wherein the mounting step includes detachably mounting the transceivers to an electrically conductive sheet, whereby the conductive sheet shields the transceivers from RF signals until the transceivers are detached from the conductive sheet.

27. A method according to claim 25, wherein the placing step further includes rolling up the sheet and placing the rolled up sheet within the RF shielded dispensing enclosure.

28. Apparatus for storing and dispensing a plurality of miniature radio frequency identification (RFID) transceivers, comprising:

a plurality of RFID transceivers mounted on a flexible sheet; and

a dispenser enclosing the sheet, the dispenser having RF shielding to prevent RF signals outside the dispenser from being received by transceivers within the enclosure, and the dispenser having an opening through which selected ones of the transceivers can be removed while maintaining the RF shielding of any transceivers which are not removed.

29. Apparatus according to claim 28, wherein the flexible sheet is electrically conductive and the transceivers are mounted to the sheet detachably, whereby the sheet shields the transceivers from RF signals until the transceivers are detached from the sheet.

30. A method of manufacturing a plurality of radio frequency identification (RFID) transceivers, comprising the steps of:

unrolling from roll stock first and second sheets of polymer film;

mounting a plurality of RFID transceivers at spaced intervals between the two sheets;

after each transceiver is mounted, sealing the two sheets together along a contour encircling that transceiver; and

rolling up the sealed-together sheets.

31. A method of manufacturing a radio frequency identification (RFID) transceiver, comprising the steps of:

providing a sheet of polymer film having first and second halves separated by a boundary;

mounting an RFID transceiver on the first half of the sheet; and

folding the sheet in half along the boundary so that the first half of the sheet overlies the second half of the sheet with the transceiver between the two halves; and